



B.E/B.TECH DEGREE EXAMINATIONS: APRIL /MAY 2024

(Regulation 2018)

Seventh Semester

ELECTRONICS AND COMMUNICATION ENGINEERING

U18ECE0053: Virtual Instrumentation

COURSE OUTCOMES

- CO1:** Construct basic Instruments using LABVIEW
- CO2:** Select data acquisition cards for analog and digital data
- CO3:** Analyze the given images using image processing
- CO4:** Build a machine vision system
- CO5:** Design real time control systems using LABVIEW.
- CO6:** Describe the PC hardware and operating system for virtual instrumentation

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Answer all the Questions:-

PART A (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

(Answer not more than 40 words)

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| 1. Define Virtual Instrumentation. | CO1 | [K ₁] |
| 2. Differentiate Data and Text based programming. Give Examples | CO1 | [K ₂] |
| 3. Identify the factors deciding selection of DAQ for VI application. | CO2 | [K ₃] |
| 4. Infer the functions of signal conditioning unit. | CO2 | [K ₂] |
| 5. What digital image and image resolution? | CO3 | [K ₁] |
| 6. Name three types of images | CO3 | [K ₁] |
| 7. List the Control Design and Simulation tools in LabVIEW | CO4 | [K ₄] |
| 8. Outline the function of LabVIEW Data Logging and Supervisory Control | CO4 | [K ₂] |
| 9. Recall major components of a PC based data acquisition system | CO5 | [K ₁] |
| 10. Name few popular serial communication protocols used by DAQ. | CO5 | [K ₁] |

Answer any FIVE Questions: -

PART B (5 x 16 = 80 Marks)

(Answer not more than 400 words)

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| 11. | a) | Explain the architecture of a typical Virtual Instrumentation system. Explain how the hardware and Software components interact to perform measurement and control tasks. | 16 | CO1 | [K ₂] |
| 12. | a) | Identify how data of similar and dissimilar data type are grouped in LabVIEW. | 16 | CO1 | [K ₂] |
| 13. | a) | Summarize about DAQ hardware and selection of DAQ device | 16 | CO2 | [K ₂] |
| 14. | a) | Show and explain the fundamental parameters of an imaging system. | 8 | CO3 | [K ₂] |
| | b) | Illustrate machine vision conceptual information about high-level operations commonly used in machine vision applications. | 8 | CO4 | [K ₂] |
| 15. | a) | Develop a VI program to build a automatic level control system for any industrial application | 16 | CO5 | [K ₆] |
| 16. | a) | Identify myRIO and its significance in LabVIEW based systems. Discuss the features and capabilities of myRIO and how it can be used for prototyping and deploying real time control and monitoring applications. | 16 | CO5 | [K ₂] |
